PUBLIC NOTICE

TOWN OF STRATHAM

Mosquito Control

The Mosquito Control program begins the week of April 9, 2018 in the Town of Stratham. Crews from Dragon Mosquito Control will be checking swamps, salt marshes, woodland pools, ditches, storm drains and other shallow, stagnant water for mosquito larvae. When mosquitoes are found, the following insecticides may be used:

VectoBac (Bacillus thuringiensis israelensis)

CocoBear MLO (mineral oil)

Altosid (methoprene)

AquaBac 200G (Bacillus thuringiensis israelensis)

Fourstar Bti CRG (Bacillus thuringiensis israelensis)

Duplex-G (Bacillus thuringiensis israelensis, methoprene)

BVA 2 MLO (mineral oil)

A truck mounted sprayer will disperse Duet (sumithrin & prallethrin) or Zenivex (etofenprox) along roadways. Road spraying may begin in June and continue into October as necessary. It is not possible to predict the schedule for road spraying in advance. The spray schedule is based upon mosquito surveillance data, disease test results and weather conditions.

Control of adult mosquitoes will also be done in preparation for the Stratham Fair. If Eastern Equine Encephalitis or West Nile Virus is found in or near Stratham, then emergency spraying may be conducted using one or more of the following products:

Cross Check Plus (bifenthrin)

Permanone (permethrin)

Duet (sumithrin & prallethrin)

Zenivex (etofenprox)

Essentria IC³ (rosemary oil, geraniol, peppermint

oil)

Emergency spray treatments may be conducted at the following locations:

Stratham Memorial School Cooperative Middle School Stevens Fields Stratham Hill Park

It is not possible to predict if emergency spraying will be necessary. The spray schedule is based upon mosquito surveillance data, disease test results and weather conditions. Further communication will be given if emergency spraying is going to take place.

Residents who do not want their wetlands treated may use our No-Spray Registry online at www.dragonmosquito.com/no-spray-registry or write to Dragon Mosquito Control, P.O. Box 46, Stratham, NH 03885. Be sure to include your name, physical address, phone number, a description of your house and acreage.